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Applicant: Rong-Tsun Wu Attorney Docket No.: SIPT121648  
Application No.: 10/646,270 Art Unit: 1655 / Confirmation No: 9640  
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Title: EXTRACTS OF POLYGONUM MULTIFLORUM THUNB., AND  
PREPARATION PROCESS AND USES OF THE SAME

SECOND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Seattle, Washington 98101

September 11, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on March 27, 2006 and further in response to the Office Communication mailed on August 11, 2006, with regard to examination of Claim 6, applicant provisionally elects the species "liver cirrhosis" for the purpose of initial examination. Election of species is made without traverse. Election of species is made with the understanding that upon the allowance of a generic claim, applicant will be entitled to consideration of claims to additional species.

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The Examiner is requested to contact applicant's representative at the telephone number listed below to discuss any issues that may facilitate prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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